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ADVERT SEMENTS: IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE BANKRUPT ESTA | OF SORABJEE RUSTOMJEE. NOTICE is bereby given, That the Court has fixed MONDAY next, the 16th inst,. at Il A.M., for a PUBLIC SITTING for the said Bankrupt to pass his last Examination.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1891.

EDW. J. ACKROYD, Registrar. Hongkong, 12th February, 1891. SOCIETE FRANCAISE DES HOUIL-LERES DE TOURANE.

EXTRAORDINARY, GENERAL A MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held on THURS DAY, 5th March, 1891, at HAIPHONG, RUE DE LA DOUANE, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors on the working of the Company and passing a Resolution modifying the present system of Transfers.
Shareholders holding 20 Shares or more who

wish to be represented at the above Meeting can sign Powers of Attorney at the Offices of the Undersigned. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, 12th February, 1891. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That an EX. TRAORDINARYGENERALMEET. ING of THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of Mesers. GIBE. LIVINGETON & Co., No. 6. ICE-HOUSE LANE, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of FEBRUARY, at 12 85 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing the following Resolution, that is to say :---

That the Company be Wound Up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Ordinances, 1865-1890, and that C. S. Sharp and L. Hallward, both of Hongkong, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators—for the purposes of such Winding Up.

Dated Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. By Order of the Board,

CHAS. F. HARTON,

Secretary. Hongkong, 12th February, 1891.

THE MASONIC CLUB, LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given. That the CRE-DITORS of the above-named COMPANY. DITORS of the above-named COMPANY. are required on or before the 15th day of N.B.—Books of the Words of the Opera may MARCH, 1891, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their Debts, and Claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to WILLIAM FINNER HATHERLY, the follows:-Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by Notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in Saturday, 14th February } and { performance and prove their said Debte or Claims at guch time and place as shall be specified in such Notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any Distribution. made before such Debts are proved.

Dated this Tenth day of February, 1891. CALDWELL & WILKINSON. Solicitors to the above-named Liquidator. Hongkong, 12th February, 1891.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to Antwerp AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBON, OPORTO. LONDON, LIVERPOOL, AND BREKEN.) ■ THE Steamship

"LYDIA." Captain Th. Förok, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 18th inst. at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION (OMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR LONDON. I HE Company's Steamship

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Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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HAIPHONG." Captain Bousquet, will leave for the above Fort shortly after the arrival of the next English Mail Steamer from Europe.

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INTIMATIONS

JURY LIST,-1891.

LODGE OF ST. JOHN HONGKUNG, No. 618, B.C.

INTIMATIONS

REGULAR MEETING of the above Lodge will be held in the FRERMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the to be posted in the Court-House a LIST of all 12th inst, at 8 30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting MEN ascertained by me to be liable to serve as Brethren are cordially invited. . . Hongkong, 9th February, 1891.

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CITY HALL. THIS EVENING.

FEBRUARY 12th, 1891. BENEFIT TENDERED MR. FRANK FLETCHER

Assisted by SEVERAL GENTLEMEN AMATEURS THE "MILITARY MUMMERS." "ART.AXOMINOUS YE GREAT."

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"DREADFUL TRAGIC OPERETTA."

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Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.

Plan can be seen at Messrs. Kelly

"THE GONDOLIERS." FITHE SOCIETY will give ONE PERFORMANCE OF THIS OPERA on the following date, commencing

at 9 P.M. precisely:-HATURDAY, 14th FEBRUARY. Seats may be booked at LANE, CRAWFORD &

Tickets sold at the door of the Theatre. Dress Circle and Stalls,.....\$2.00 each. Back Seats, \$1.00 each. Soldiers, Sailors and Police in uniform Halforice to the Back Seats.

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___ be had of Messre. LANE. CRAWFORD & Co. Price 50 cents. SPECIAL TRAM-CARS will run a

8.30 (15 mins. after 8.45 (of Gondoliers ROBERT LYALL. Hon. Becretary.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1891. FRENCH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL. CANTON.

FIENDERS are invited for certain DRAIN AGE WORKS on the French Conces SION, SHAMEEN. Plans and Specification can be seen at the French Consulate, Canton, or at the Office of the Engineer. Mr. W. ST. J. HANCOCK, 3, BEACONSFIELD ABOADE, Hong kong. Tenders arè to be sent under Seal te the Undersigned on or before the 21st day of FEBRUARY, 1891. C. IMBAULT HUART,

Canton, 11th February, 1891.

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STRAMERS SUNDA LINE take the following route:-

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OTICE is hereby given, That pursuant to Cotal Assets on 1st January, 7 the Provisions of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1887, I have, on the 1st inst, caused SUBPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE BIRLEY, DALBYMPLE & Co., The said List will remain so posted until the

Hongkong, 28th Jaly 1890. Whitaker's Almanack, 1881

14th inst. in order that my person may as the case shall be, apply by Notice in writing to me requiring that his name, or the names of some other Person or Persons, may be respectively either added to or struck off the said List, upon cause duly assigned in such Notice. EDW. J. ACKROYD, Registrar. Registry, Supreme Court,

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION COMPETITION for the SUBSCRIP- Mangregor's Engineer's Almanack. be held on SATURDAY next, the 14th instant, at 3.15 P M. Distances 800 and 900 yards; Ten Shota at \mathbf{exch} ; position any.

A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 2 45 P.N. to convey Competitors. C. VIVIAN LADDS.

Hongkong, 11th February, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 30 Cents.

Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. THE HONGKONG ATHLETIC CLUB TTHE FIRST MEETING of the HONG-L. KONG ATHLETIC CLUB will take place on the RACECOURSE (by kind permission of the STEWARDS of the JOCKEY CLUB), on SATURDAY, 28th February, commencing at I o'clock p.m. precisely, when the following Events will be contested:—

1.-120 YARDS FLAT RACE. (Handicap). 2.—PUTTING THE SHOT. 3.—Long Jump. 4.—220 YARDS FLAT RACE. (Handicap). 5.—Broycle Race—Half-Mile. (Handicap). 6.-HALF-MILE FLAT RACE. (Open to Soldiers and Police).

. - HURDLE RACE-120 Yards-10 Flights. 8.—HALF-MILE FLAT RACE. (Handicap.) Ladies' Purse. 9.—Ніан Јомр. BICYLE RACE—One Mile. (Haudicap). 11:-100 YARDS CHALLENGE CUP. 12-Highland Fling. (Open to Soldiers and

Police).

14.—Mile Challenge Cup. 15.—VETEBANS' BACE. (Competitors must be over 35 years of age and of not less than 10 years' Residence in the East). 16 .- Tug-of-WAR. (Open to all Teams). 17.—QUARTER-MILE CHALLENGE CUP. 18.—STEEPLECHABE—120 Yards. 19.—Consolation Race—120 Yards.

13.—Throwing the Cricket Ball.

-Competitors in-Events Nos.-2, 6, 12, 15, and 16 not being Members of the Club to pay an Entrance Fee of \$2 for each Event. The above Events, with the exception of Nos. 2, 6, 12, 15, and 16, are Open only to those 211 Gentlemen Amsteurs who are Members of the Hongkong Athletic Club. Entry Forms can be obtained from Messrs I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Messes KELLY &

WALSH, LD., and the Undersigned. ENTRIES CLOSE on 20TH INSTANT. W. H. YOUNG. Hongkong, 9th February, 1891. JUST ARRIVED, FOR SALE.

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AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION VALUABLE BUILDING PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to offer for Sale by PUBLIC AUCTION. on SATURDAY, the 14th FEBRUARY, 1891. at 4 o'clock P.M.,

at the Balks Rooms of the Undersigned All That VALUABLE PIECE of GROUND known as Sections A. B. C. D. E. F. G. and H of KOW-LOON INLAND LOT, No. 524, having a

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Hongkong, 6th February, 1891. PUBLIC AUCTION

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION,

HOUSEHOLD PROPERTY.

SUIT No. 73 or 1890. BETWEEN YEUNG SHIM KAM, PLAINTIFF.

T. C. DOS REMEDIOS, DEFENDANT. to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. on SATURDAY, the 21st FEBRUARY, 1891.

at 4 o'clock P.M., All That PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND to the Undersigned on or before that date, or situate, lying and being at VICTORIA. HONG- notice will not be takenof them." KONG, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE as | All Persons indebted to the said Estate are Subsection 2 of Section A of INLAND LOT No. 141, with the PREMISES thereon known Undersigned. as No. 13, REMEDIOS TERBACE, ARBUTHNOT | Dated at Hongkong the 5th day of November, ROAD, subject to a Mortgage dated the 5th day 1890. modation for first-class passengers at moderate of August, 1890, to secure the sum of \$8,000 and Interest. Particulars of the property can be obtained

> Queen's Road, Hongkong, G. R. LAMMERT. Anctioneer. Daddell Street. Hongkong, 11th February, 1891.

COMPANY. ESTABLISHER 1845.

Agents Hongkong.

ELLY & WAUSH, LIMITED.

Hazell's Annual, 1891. Fronde's Life of Lord Heaconsfield Told after Supper, by Jerome K. Jerome, illustrations; by Author of Three Men in a Boat, Stageland, Un and Off the Stage,

Charles Stewart Parnell, an illustrated Bidgraphy, issued by Daily Graphic "Office. TION HANDICAP CHALLENGE A Social Departure: how Ofthodocia and I went Jeannette Duncan; 110 illustrations. The of the Chest, &c. Best Descriptive Trip round the World. London Street Arabs, by Mrs. H. M. Stanley (Dorothy Tennant) A Trip round the World by W. S. Caine.

Jamieson's Text Book of Steam and Steam and Electricity. Seaton's Mannal of Marine Engineering-New 31.00 Juit published, Price \$2.00. English and Chinese Cookery Book, contain-

ing 200 Receipts in English and Chinese, by J. Dyer Bail. KELLY & WALSH, LD., Hongkong.

BREWER Has just required Hazell's Cyclopedia, 1891. Whitaker's Almanack, 1891. Engineers' Gazette Annual, 1891. The First Crossing of Greenland, by Prof

Gladstone's Rock of Holy Scripture. Photographic Almanacks, 1891 Fifty Years in Caylon, by Skinner. Figure (Illustrated). New Photos of Fashionable Beauties. Phillips on Fuels.

Koch on Cure of Consumption. WALTER W. BREWER UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY PRINCE TENNANT, DECRASED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That in accordmade by the Honourable Sir James Russell, of February current (both days inclusive), a sample of Sherry of the mark Li Tours. The companies of Honourable Sir James Russell, of February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can addition.

Line for Creditors to send in their Claims be Registered. THE Undersigned has received instructions No. 9 of 1870. Section 2 an Order has been against the above Estate to the 1st day of March, requested to make Immediate Payment to the JOHNSON: STOKES & MASTER

> Rongkong, Solicitors for the Administrator Hongkong, 5th November, 1890. SECOND-HAND COTTAGE PIANO orders. by Bechstern thoroughly accilmatised, Apply to

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The New Navigation, Simplified, by J. A. Clarke, Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S BOAD CENTRAL THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

> NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY lished A.D. 1841," we take the oppor-MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the Honokong Hotel, on SATURDAY, FEBRU- support during the last 50 years, and ARY 14th, 1891, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a tender them the assurance of our best Statement of Accounts to December 31st, 1890.
> The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PANY will be CLOSED from the lat to the 14th February, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, ... J. WHEELEY.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1891.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED ■ MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will. be held at the Office of the Company, PED: home. DER'S STREET, on SATURDAY, the 14th Fe-BRUARY, at NOON, to receive a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1890, and the Report of the General Managers, and to discuss any matters that may be com-petently brought before the Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COM PANY will be CLOSED from the 4th to 14th February, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 27th January, 1891. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHULDERS. THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14 Praya CENTRAL, on MONDAY, the 23rd FEBRUARY, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

FANY will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd inst., both days inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES Secretary.

Hongkong. 2nd February, 1891.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS the COMPANY will be held at the COMPANY's Best Materials and Workmanship in latest OFFICE, No. 2. QUEEN's ROAD CENTRAL, VIC-TORIA, OB FRIDAY, the 27th FEBRUARY, at Half-past Two o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1890.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PANY will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th inst., both days inclusive. By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE Secretary

THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED. - 180 TTHE SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the General Managers, 6, ICE-HOUSE LANE,

Hongkoug, 3rd Februa ry, 1891.

on FRIDAY, 27th FEBRUARY, 1891, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Consulting Committee, with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 30th November, The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PARY will be CLOSED from the 13th to the

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.,

leneral Managers. Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

27th inst, both days inclusive.

OTICE is hereby given, That the OR-N DINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Conforation will be hele at the CITY HALL, HONGKONG, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February current, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors. together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1890.

By Order of the Court of Directors, F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 6th February, 1891. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the RE-GISTERS of SHARES of the Corance with the Privisions of Ordinauce PORATION will be CLOSED from SATUR-By Order of the Court of Directors.

F. DE BOVIS.

Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 6th February, 1891. HENRY S. KING & Co.

MERCHANTS AND AGENTS.

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> > This being THE FIFTIETH ANNIVER. Otto Krogmann, D. D. Mackie, J. R. Michael, John Mitchell, Mrs. Mosse, Messrs. Murault, SARY of our Firm, and THE JUBILEE de Nonnevilles, Mrs. Parker, Mr. and YEAR of the Colony, "THE HONG-KONG DISPENSARY having been Estabkong Dispensary having been Established A.D. 1841," we take the opportunity of thanking our friends for their and children, Messrs. E. Webrung. services in the future as in the past.

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THE CANTON DISPENSARY. CANTON. Canal Road. THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DESCRIBARY, HANKOW. THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN. LONDON OFFICE. .. 106. Fenchurch Street, E.C.

The Hongkong Dispensary,

21st January, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. TNFORMATION has been received from FEBRUARY next, both days inclusive, between | 25598/25601, 25790/35793, 26030/26033, 26519. the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M. daily. The line of fire will be in a South-Westerly | 28371/28374, 29420/29421. direction from the Batteries. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the range.

By Command, F. FLEMING. Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 27th January, 1891 CUTLER, PALMER & Co.,

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Agents, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 7th August, 1890.

[al83] OTICE is hereby given. That the following SHARES in the above COMPANT by the Board, of Directors for Non-payment of Call due 16th November, 1:89, in accordance with the Powers given in the Company's the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that |20126,20134, 20534, 20866/20867, 21 |21/21128, ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place 21514, 21565/21572, 22371/22378, 22538/22545, from the BATTERIES at STONE CUTTERS' 22865/22872, 22912/22917, 22930, 22939/22946 THEAND: from the 27th instant to 20th 24008, 24426, 24756/24759, 24817, 25342/25378,

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TOTICE is hereby given to HOLDERS of the SHARES in the above-named COMPANY bearing the numbers specified below. that unless the CALL of \$25 per Share due on the 30th day of April last be paid, together with Interest thereon at the rate of \$8 per cont. per annum from the said Soth day of April. 1890, at the OFFICE of the COMPANY. No. 38 and 40. Queen's ROAD CENTRAL, on or before the 15th day of FEBRUARY, the said Shares will be liable to be FORFEITED, and under the provisions of Section 1X., Subsection I., of the Articles of Association of the Company the Board will pass the necessary-Resolution for the FORKETTURE of the said Shares which are

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ELIZA, daughter of J. F. SHARP, Esq., of Southam p-

At No. 9. Queen's Gardens, on the 8th instant, OHANN HINRICH, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. GARRELS, aged 3 months. On the 11th instant, at No. 33, Hollywood Road, Hongkong, DADABHOY MUNCHERJEE, aged 50 Jears.

HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 12TH, 1891.

A-licture of no little interest was delivered by Captain TAYLOR, of the U.S. gun vessel Alliance, on the 27th January before the Tokyo Geographical Society at their Hall at Tokyo. The subject was one of considerable importance at the present moment, namely, "the Inter-Oceanic Canal of Nicaragua and its probable influence on Japan." The lectures first lightly sketched the history of the Panama Canal, and recited the causes for the failure of M. DE LESSEPS' magnificent project, which in his opinion were to be found in the hilly country, the raging course of the Chargas river, the torrential rains, and the pestilential climate. These drawbacks do not, Captain Taylor asserts, exist in Nicaragua, and it is not proposed there. as it was at first proposed at Parama, to make a sea level canal, but one with locks. In Nicaragua, the mountain chain which society, gets a divorce on the grounds of instretches from the Arctic regions of North | fidelity, which seems to show that the Chinaman America to Cape Horn sinks to its lowest point, producing a comparative depression. in length by 45 in breadth, and with general some thousands of dollars to the State. depths varying from 50 to 100 feet. The selected for the Canal, has a maximum were found on him, all of which on being exa-The elevation of the lake is 110 feet above labour. the ocean, and the dividing ridge 150 feet above the ocean. The main features Club v. the Army, will be played at the Raceof the canal, Captain TAYLOR says, are course to-day, commencing at half-past four the following:-"The lake and upper river will be the summit level of the canal: there will be a cut through the neck of land between the lake and the Pacific, the greatest J. M. Dow depth of this excavation being 40 feet, and the canal quickly emerging upon the western slope of this neck of land, will reach the Paeific through the valley of a small stream

which flows into that ocean, descending to

the sea level by means of three locks. Goto such a height as will back its waters to awaited with interest. the lake, raising the level of the lake to a of the sea, and thus despening the water in canal, and its dimensions will be such as to

admit of 20,000,000 tons of shipping using it diary fires were attempted. per annum. It is calculated that \$75,000,000 will suffice to cover the cost, but \$100,000,000 of 15 per cent. Like many other calcula-tions, however, this may prove to be an but failing in this the first defendant had taken Mrs. Craddock..... underestimate, but it is reasonable to sup- the girl to the house of her adopted daughter. Mrs. Dalrymple pose that the work will be remunerative and The girl was again put in the witness box and possibly pay as well as the Suez Canal was further remanded. ultimately.

In his estimate of the commercial devethe completion of this work, Captain Taylor sensibly recognises that at first the bulk of the traffic would consist of the ships plythat a large development of trade between treasures in the earth? the South and Central American States and Europe would take place through this new channel, and then passes to the consideration of how Japan would be affected by the new route. At present, he contends, Japan is not a terminus but a way station" on the great ocean lines, and suffers in consequence. "Japan cannot," he urges, " be satisfied until its trade is in every sense direct between its ports and London-

Hamburg, and New York, and not simply a to the hospital. minor incident of the Indo Chinese European traffic. There must be no ports or coasts intervening between Yokohama and are well able to compete in quality with New York, between Kobe and London. which outweigh or even approach in import-The purest ingredients only are used, and ance the terminal ports of the route. The for libel seemed the only resource. The report Mrs. E. Niedhart Nicaragua Canal will provide that direct intercourse between Yokohama, Kobe, Hakodate, Nagasaki, and Hamburg, London, our Customers who prefer to have them to New York, New Orleans." "This trade," he continues. " will not be limited in its powers of expansion as is the mail steamer and passenger service. Over this route will pass the principal heavy exports and imports to and from Japan and the Atlantic nations. By this route the opportunity at once presents itself to Japanese merchants and ship. ping to start their own lines of steamers and sailing ships between Japan and the Atlantic countries. By this cheaper route merchandise will be landed in foreign markets with less burthensome freight charges. and hence be sold at lower prices. Thus the demand increases, and greater areas of Japan are called into the productive field, SELTZER WATER while its industries, responding to the demand, widen their scope of manufacture. These healthy influences react upon each other, and more Japanese shipping will be needed to Captain TAYLOR is of opinion, however, that for any other purpose than that of containing the mails and passengers from Japan which therefore prayed to order that the Report be Mr. S. S. Benjamin now pass across North America will con-

trade greatly and createst in some directions it will not in any way deflect commerce from and address with communications addressed to the the great Pacific lines of steamers, which transit, and will carry the cargo for which speedy delivery is necessary. The Canadian Parific line of steamers has already created a trade which is as yet in its infancy, and with a faster service a large increase in that trade is sure to develop. Japan, though so On the 31st January, 1891, at the Holy Trinity remote from the Western world, is not Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. H. C. Hodges, M.A., JAMES VALENTINE, of Shanghai, to EDITH badly served by steamers, and is, whatever Captain TAYLOR may say to the contrary, really the terminus for several great lines. succeeded in forming a coalition cabinet. Even the American and Canadian Steamship Companies run only so far south as Hongkong, with which Japan is in almost daily connection. It is absurd to say that "there should be no ports or coasts intervening between Yokohama and New York, between Kobe and London" of equal importance to the Japanese ports. There are direct steamers running between these ports, and fortunately they are able to bring the benefit of shippers and merchants. Capremarking that the Canal will take some five years to construct, he suggests that that period can be usefully devoted to a thorough study of the future commercia

> There were 2,054 visitors to the City Hall Museum last week, of whom 188 were Europeans. The Boston Traveller writes:-" All is a

situation so as to enable Japan to avail her-

self of the advantages to be then provided.

when the time arrives, and the Japanese

All those interested in commerce will

merchants among the number.

can become altogether too American.'

The Bangkok Times of the Sist alt. says:basin is occupied by the waters of Lake opened some fifteen days ago. In that short

mined proved to be counterfeit. He was cen-

A football match under Rugby rules, the usual. The following is the Club team :-

Three-quarter backs. Dr. J. M. Atkinson (Capt.) H. Burn Half-backs. H. J. Gedge Forwards. E. B. Shepherd K. A. Stevens. H. W. Slade E. C. Fearon . Ezekiei F. F. Simpson A. M. Marshall

J. Armstrong

-Nows was received here to-day to the effect as St. George's Hall; the decoration of the Caribbean Sea, the San Juan River will be eigh Ministers in China has been annulled. For there are other finishing touches wanted which followed for a distance of 64 miles from the

By last advices from Shanghai we learn that Mrs. Ackroyd Dame of the 19th Century secieties intended to set fire to the Foreign Mrs. G. Armstrong... Meeting Settlement in several places simultaneously on Mrs. J. M. Armstrong. Spanish Lady the upper river to such a degree that but little Chinese New Year's day. Not much importance Mrs. Arthur miles." The total distance from ocean to ocean disturbances it may be taken for granted that Mrs. Belliving. will be 169 miles, of which 27 will be excavated nothing of the kind occurred. The Chinese Authorities had posted placards threatening Mrs. H. Blackburn.... severe of assquences if any disturbance or incen-

The two women who are charged with kidnap- Mrs. Cantile... ping a girl and stealing from her some jewellery | Mrs. de Champeaux..... is allowed for, and the projectors have and a deposit note for \$270 were again brought Mrs. William Chatham Vivandière it will be at once possible to secure a return them and complained that she had been besten Mrs. R. Cooke denied the whole of this statement. The case Mrs. Denson.

A Shansi contributor to the Chinese Times Mrs. William Forbes .. writes :- The Chinese believe all sorts of strange | Mrs. J. M. Forbes opment wich be claims will result from things about foreigners. The old stories about using children's eyes for medicine, etc., are still Mrs. Ford...... ife, and are believed by not a few. They attri- Miss Francis bute extraordinary powers to us; as, fer instance, Mrs. N. Y. Gardiner that we can see through the ground. A gentle Mrs. Gard'ner man had his faith on this point confirmed a short | Miss Gaskell ... to him that foreigners had extraordinary powers : | Madame Gueyrand port. He goes on to point out, however, for how otherwise could they tell that there are Mrs. Hance

> The Rev. Father, Benetti met with a serious | Mrs. Hannay coident on Tuesday afternoon He was Mrs. Hartigen riding in a jinricksha towards the Racecourse, Miss Haseland and the coolie in going down the hill lost control Mrs. H. Humphreys of the vehicle. In trying to turn the corner Miss Ingali the jinricksha upset, and Father Benetti was Mrs. Jerrard thrown with great force against the monument. Mrs. J. W. Jones The coolie immediately righted his vehicle and Mrs. Judd made off as fast as he coul!. Fortunately some Dur peans came upon the scene shortly afterwards and assisted the injured gentleman, who, it him. Layton. was found, had sustained a fracture of the thigh. Mrs. Leach A stretcher was produced, and he was conveyed Mrs. Legge.

In connection with the burning of the Diet the Japan Mail says :- It has been a matter of much interest and ouriesity to ascertain in what Mrs. Mehta form the Tokyo Electric Light Company would Mrs. Mitchell-Innes of bringing against the Government. An action Mrs. Mulcahy presented to the Houses of Parliament was nu- Mrs. Patiner. loubtedly calculated to inflict most serious in. Mrs. W. Hutton Potts. jury on the business of the Company, and from Miss Richardson.
that point of view a libel suit might have been Mrs. Roberson.... preferred. The defendants would then have Mrs. Roberts been compelled to establish the truth of their Mrs. Robinson published assertions, a task which they would probably have found very difficult. The Company has chosen, however, to pursue a different course. Mrs. Saunders t brings its action against Mr. Soné Arasuke, | Miss Saunders Chief Secretary of the House of Representatives. he complainant being Mr. Yajima Sakuro, President of the Company. The petition simply takes the form of a prayer that the defendant bo ordered to correct his Report (Hakaku teiset Mrs. F. H. Slaghek no uttage). The document sets out by alleging Mrs. J. H. Stewart that from both a scientific and a practical point of view, the heating of electric lighting conductors no as to oause a conflagration is in the highest degree improbable. The defendant, Miss B. Taylor Classic nevertheless, asserted in his Report to the Mrs. C. A. Tomes Entterny House that the fire by which the Imperial Mrs. Burges Watson... Sonlogue Fishwife Diet was consumed on the 19th January had been caused by the electric lighting apparatus. This Report had been published in the Official Gasette | Mr. E. J. Ackroyd and copied into several newspapers, so as to become matter of public knowledge. Further, the defendant made the same statement in a Mr. J. Andrew Mr. J. M. J. Alves of Kepresentatives. Thus the responsibility Mr. W. M. B. Arthur. verbal account given by him to the House for a fire, concerning the origin of which con- Mr. E. H. D'Aquino jectures or suppositions alone exist, has been Mr. J. Anderson transport the increased amounts of products." Isid on the shoulders of the company represented by the complainant, with results disastrous to its business. The Court is Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving amended. No damages are claimed, though the Mr. J. McLeavy Browel...... costs of action are asked for, and the petition is Mr. L. C. Barff..... a model of brevity and conciseness. We are not Commander Hingham, B.N... tinue to do so, and that the Nicaragus Canal Hongkong, China, and Manila. [2-19] will be a freight route. This it certainly aware that such a method of bringing an action Lieut. Booth, B.N. will be, and though it may and will develop is common in Western countries. The com- Lient. A. Y. Batron, M.R.A...... Uni orm plainant is, however, advised by two of the best Mr. A. W. Becker Spanisrd known barristers of the day, Messrs. Murata and Mr. E. R. Belilios Takanashi. We must assume, therefore, that he has adopted the course most likely to secure Mr. H. C. R. B. ocklebank..... elief. Presumably the onus of proving that Mr. W. D. Braidwood, HK.V.A. Mess Uniform must always be the most rapid means of his Report was justified will rest on Mr. Sone, Mr. F. de Bovis and it will be exceedingly interesting to see how | Dr. H. Blackburn his legal advisers acquit themselves of their re-

AUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 9th Feburary The Marquis di Rudini (Conservative) has

MENT HOUSE.

and drop cargo at intervening ports, much to off with much éclat. The figures 1841-1891 with Mr. A. Chapman the crown and V.R., on the gas standard at the tion Taylor is more sensible when, after entrance to the grounds, indicated that the func- Mr. F. Dodwell ... tion was associated with the Colony's Jubilee, and advantage was also taken of the occasion to Mr. L. Kennard Davis....... 17th Century open the handsome ball room which has been built as an additional wing to Government House. The increased accommedation was, however, taxed to its utmost on Tuesday evening to contain the large number of guests whom the no hospitality of the gracious hostess had gathered doubt be ready to improve the opportunity | together. There were about a hundred ladies present and more than twice as many gentlemen, and the scene in the ball room, with the ming-Naval, and Military uniforms, was one which

ling of colours and the numerous contrasts afforded by the fancy dresses and the Consular, Mr. W. H. Forbes will long remain in the memory of those who Mr. J. J. Francis had the privilege of forming part of the merry happy in Chinese marriage circles. Yan Phou and brilliant throng. Since the ball was an- Mr. C. F. Fischer Lee's wife, formerly Miss Jerome of New Haven nonneed the minds of those invited had been Mr. E. H. Gore-Booth, and the hands of the costumiers had been Mr. Wade Gard ner kept busy in carrying out the designs. The Mr. Gueyraud, French C result was most successful. Almost every Mr. H. J. Gedge ... Reg. unique in character. This depression or Government Dock at Bangkok since it was possible character was represented, from the Mr. A. G. Gordon courtiers and dames of high degree to pages, Lieut C. Grant, A. & S Elining Nicaragua, a fresh water inland sea, 90 miles epace of time about ten vessels have been docked witches, and gipsies. Mr. Stiggins, with his Capt. F. M. Glubb, R. H. and mer hand and painted. This in itself means a saving of wonderful feet, orested considerable amuse- Mr. R. A. G. bbayl... ment, and the Siamese Twins, Stanley's Latest, Mr. W. H. Gankell Dr. Hawton, R.N. Tambo, the Monkey Brand (warranted not to Mr. L. Hallward from the surf of the Pacific Ocean, and the intervening neck of land, on the route taken to the station and taken to take taken to the station and taken to the station and taken to take taken to the station and taken to take taken to take taken t intervening neck of land, on the route taken to the station and searched fourteen coins Governor, who were his official uniform, and Mr. Henry Humphryee Lady Das Youx, whose costume was that of Mr. J. Hastings.......

> their enjoyment and happiness. Dancing was kept up with spirit until supper (served in the room below the ball room), and was Mr. E. L. Hunter sharp. There will be a tent on the ground as afterwards resumed and continued until about Mr. C. E. Holworthy half-past one. The programme, besides the usual square dances, waltzes, and polkas, included the Tempete and Swedish Dance, in which the fancy dresses were seen to great advantage. The grounds of Government House and the facade had been hung with coloured lanterns,

The Shanghai Mercury of the 7th inst. says: | room is a very handsome one and almost as large | Mr. J. W. Jenes... Marlborough Hones . Dootor of Medicine ing castward from the lake toward the that the Decree granting Andience to the For- groined ceiling is, however, not yet complete, and Mr. Miyakawa Kynjiro, Acting lake, at which point the river will be dammed Imperial Government, and particulars will be beauty.

In such a basely a major to sent the river will be demanded to sent the river will be deman Mr. J. W. Loureiro : Portaguese present Christy Minetral Highland Laird Mr. R. Lyall Mr. A. J. Leach dama Angot'' Bergennt of Liout. A. H. Loe, B.A. Mr. J. H. Stewart-Lookhark .. Mr. G. C. C. Master Capt. Jno. McCallum, H. K.V.A. mids some tarta Arabi Pasha Mr. E. W. Mitchell Capt. G. M. W. Macdonogh, R. E. Mrs. B. Byramies Mr. A. J. May French Ropublican Sallo Mr. R. Markwick Miss Etts Caldwell.. Wrangler Lieut. Col. Muleshy Enave of Clubs. Mr. John Macgregor Mr. H. M. Mehta..... Mr. J. V. Mosee Mr. A. McConachie Mr. E. W. Maitland. Night Venetien Singing Girl Circassian Chief Mr. W. Machell, HK. V.A... Uniform Uniform as Consul Mrs. Wm. Danby (r. E. H. Melbyo..... Lient. A. Moggridge, B.N. Matador Cypros peasant Mrs. Dodwell Mr. E. Niedhardt Mrs. Downes Stanley's Latest Mr. J. W. Noble Mr. C. C. Platt Vitteau Marquise French Courtier Deputy Surgeon General Paterson Uniform
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LATEST TELEGRAMS.

Hon. C. P. Chater ... Marlborough House Mr. A. S. Cohen John B II Mr. II. A. Da Costa Italian Nobleman THE MINISTERIAL CRISIS IN ITALY

THE CHILIAN INSURRECTION. The Chilian insurgents have captured a new Mr. J. H. Cox Marlborough House

FANCY DRESS BALL AT GOVER

Commoders Church, RN Uniform Mr. H. McCallum Chine e Official Mr. Fielding Clarke Eton Schoolboy Dr. J. Cantlio Mr. Coates, German Conul Major Crooke Mr. A. K. Craddock... Indian Chief Surgeon W. N. Craig, EN. ... Uniform Mr. R. Cooks Marlborough House Mr. F. G. Collins, HK. 7.A.... Uniform On Tuesday evening, the 10th inst, the Fancy Lord Connemara Mr. M. R. Escudero, Acting Lient. T. H. Foster, R.N. Comr. Mostyn Field, B.N. Uniform Mr. A. J. Ferguson Windsor guests and contributed in every possible way to Mr. J. I. Hazeland

Lieut. H. H. Bruce, E.S.

Lieut. G. G. Boyle, R.A..... Uniform

Surgeon W. M. Craig, EN. ... Uniform

Mr. S. Coxon Bookmaker

Mr. B. Byramjee Persian High Prites

Mr. E. Bowdler Old English Gentle

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Marlborough House

Louis XV. Mandarin 5th Rank

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Mr. Wong Shing Mr. Lo Shun Fan LORD CONNEMARA.

The Bombay Gazette remarks: -It is no

little to the credit of the public opinion

Mr. Lo Shui Fun..........

Madras that in its estimates of the public work of its late Governor it has been able to take its stand upon what the Madras Mail, in a notice of Lord Connemara's career which is conceived in admirable teste, calls "the fine old injunction to speak of a man as you find him." No subtle distinction between public and private responsibilities was necessary to enable the Madras defaced what without them is a very admirable have their head-quarters in the Marshall Islands, these columns, that the Japanese Church would sudden and so melancholy an end. And this a round of voyages among the islands. As or the claims of personal integrity to hee Taguchi's opinion is decidedly unfavourable. necessary an element in public life. The people to drinking and debauchery, and the company over whom he has ruled for the last four years | which employs them is frequently subjected to him, and they have found him a Governor chi. therefore, found it very easy to successfully whose Governorship was, in the words of the compete with them at Ponape, where he stayed chronicler in the Mail, one of conspicuous about fifty days. He very soon obtained the benefit to Madras. The promise which the confidence of the natives; and while his party brother of Lord Mayo made in bidding farewell remained there, the German traders had scarcely people of India, must have been sincere, for he his experiences, Mr. Taguchi thinks that, between classes or races; but regarding himself cipal articles exported to the islands are, a Mandarin as the ruler of no one class or race, but of all cording to the writer, kerosede, rice, umbrelias, Mariborough House classes and races, of her Majesty's subjects, he gin, awameri, mosquito-nets, cotton goods, etc.

which after all is nearly the most important; that this country is better adapted for the dis. New Year and the near approach of the Races, part of the equipment of an administrator. possel of the products obtained in exchange, business has been almost at a standstill for the How far it was due to capacity is a question There are four staple articles of export from the past week, and no revival is at present to be also upon which people in Madras seem to South Sea islands, namely, palm oil, beche de expected.

be pretty well agreed. That he had ability mer, tortoise shell, and wood. When Mr. Banks.—A few shares have changed hands @ smough to keep him from blunders, either per- Taguchi first left Japan, there was little demand 259 per cent, for the settlement and 262 per cent sonal or vicarious, everyone who knew anything in this country for the first mentioned article; bisroh Old shares ex new issue have found of him before he went to Madres was well aware. when he returned home a friend of his had al- purchasers @ 218 per cent cash, and New @ What he had done in office at home he had done ready invented a method of refining palm oil, \$327. The London market is again easier, a well. Patience, intelligence, and industry, rather and there is at present a great demand for the day business has been done. @ 260 per cent. for then genius had made him an admirable Und r Becretary for Foreign Affairs, and it is within developing here, there is practically an unlimited March. our knowledge that at least one Secretary of demand for the cil. With regard to becke de Insurances.—The only sale under our notice State in that Department belonging to the mer, Mr. Taguchi admits that Japan cannot is that of China Fires @ \$91.

s'eclipse au premier, and the patient and satis- | this country, since it enters into the manufacturefactory Under Secretary whose responsibility of various articles used by women. Thus the was merged in that of a Cabinet Minister writer thinks that there is no reason why Japan might not fare so well when he was the bearer should not become the centre of trade with the of his own responsibility, aided in bearing it, it South Sea islands, and he recommends the is true, by men with shoulders broad enough to authorities to give all possible facilities to porlighten the burden. Yet here again he was sons engaged in the enterprise .- Japan Gasette. equal to all demands upon him. A resolute and self-denying determination to see everything for himself, to know the Pr sidency and the problems of administration that it presented, counted for much amongst the causes of his success. The mere mileage of his tours would tell more than we can comprehend at a glance of the beneficent activity of the late Governor. Mr. Rees has obronicled all that was pleasant in those tours; but optimist as he is, he has told us little of the other side of the story. Madras is in many respects the most variegated of the Indian-Presidencies, with climates ranging from extreme heat to a temperature as moderate and agreeable almost as that of summer in Devonshire. Lord Connemara took the badelimutes with the good, and though precedent upon precedent might have been found for his keeping in the places that were most pleasant to him he never spared himself. The writer in the Mail, who has no obviousdesire towrite a panegyrio on him, credite him with having made a sacrifice of personal comfort and health such as few Indian Governors are prepared to make. "It was no light thing," we are told, " for a man of his age, unseasoned to the tropics, to leave Octacemund in the middle of the hot weather, and to make a journey of several weeks in the mouth of June through a Ismine-stricken and fever and cholers haunted district. Nor did Lord Compomara do it with impunity, for he has never shaken off the malarial poisoning which he then contracted, penalty for that example of devotion to public has effected such a marked reaction in favour of duty." It would be well if this could be pleaded purely Japanese customs and ways now pervon in mitigation of judgment upon other events in the late Governor's life, which would never have happened had the self-centrol and self-denial, the cheerful acquiescence in the claims of duty, been more completely pervasive of it than they were the Churches of the country as well as over the the Neilgheries he had a Canna which his are the Neilgheries he had a Capua which his predecessors had seldom quitted when the great heats were on the plains, he readily and repeatedly left it when the public interest called upon Churches to day a feeling which distinctly sims and feverish districts, in cholere camps and at exercising control over all matters relating to him to do so, and that he was in famine stricken nospitals, accelerating measures of relief and Inbricating the mechanism of administration, when his omniscient predecessor would have been directlying his amusements in botany and the belies lettres by minuting on these things in the delightful atmosphere of Ootscamund. The world will look with something like charity upon things farther back in the retiring Governor

record if it marks well the manifold proofs in

As to the work of the Madras Government during the last four years, the Madras press must be allowed to speak for itself. Everybody seems to admit that Lord Connemara was Council, and then in Mr. Stokes, he has had advisers and colleagues of conspicuous ability. Lord Connemara's bistorians will not have it that he owes his success to good luck. In this they are reasonable. At least let us say that men whose luck is good are as much to be trusted as those are to be distrusted whose luck is bad. Fortune, after all, comes in the long run only to the rulers who seek for it and work for it, and that Lord Connemara worked for it the whole Presidency seems willing to bear witness. The largest and most conspicuous achievement of his administration was the East Coast Railway, which, we are told, would never have got beyond the pigeon-boles of the Secretariat at Simla but for his persistent advocacy of it. The practical encouragement which his administration gave to local self-government by liberal leans is an example to other governments, under whom the municipalities and district boards seem to have availed themselves very sparingly of the borrowing powers which the logislature intended that they should enjoy. Village sanitation, vaccination, the onlargement of the hospital accommodation of Madras, are amengst the subjects to which the special attention of the Madras Government has been directed, and from the catalogue of public buildings and improvements completed or started in Modran during the past few years Lord Connemara must have contributed almost as much to the creation of a new Madras as Sir Bartle Frero d d to the creation of a new Bombay. 'I he growth in trade, the marked expansion in the land revenue. and the improved condition of provincial finance, generally, prove that Lord Connemars, if he was not the cause of all this, was at least happy in this cannot be better done than in the words of thegenerous but discriminating critic from whom we have already quoted :- "The Presidency has nothing to do with the cause of Lord Connemara's resignation a year before the expiration of the customary tenure of the gubernatorial office ; but it has cause to be grateful to him for the zeal the kindliness and the success of his efforts to justify the confidence which the Queen-Empress reposed to him. His ad ministration will be remembered as a bright epoch in the annals of Madras; and a vast number of people

year be cheered by the knowledge that he did not labour for this Presidency in vain.

will unite in the hope that he may for many a

JAPAN AND THE SOUTH SEA

ISLANDS. Mr. Taguchi Ukichi has of late written much Catholic Church; the Communion of Saints; paper to pronounce thus fairly upon him, for the in the columns of his journal, the Keisai Zasshi, the forgiveness of sins; the r surrection of the fact that the subject matter of the recent ret on his experiences among the South Sea islands, body, and the life everlasting? Amen." grettable proceedings in the London Courts In one article he describes the position of the One important fact remains to be noted in conbelonged to years long procedent to Lord German traders in these islands, and recom- nection with this interesting statement, and Connemara's Governorship has narrowed the mends his countrymen to compete with the that is the resolution passed by the Synod makrange of investigation, and has enabled Madras merchants from Europe. The trade in that ing it the one Confession of Faith for ministers publicists fairly to leave out of view elements part of the world is according to Mr. Taguebi, and leymen alike, a resolution which signally which if introduced would have blurred and practically in the hands of Germans. They bears out the view, more than once expressed in picture. It is fortunate for Lord Connemars with many stations in the Caroline Islands and not burden itself with the mass of confessions, as an Indian Governor that the simple other groups. At these stations imported goods canons, and dogmas inherited and held by the chronology of the case enables us to con- are exchanged for palm-oil, which is at regular parent Churches of the West .- Jopan Mail template his public record in entire detach- intervals shipped to the head-quarters in the ment from that which has brought it to so Marshall Islands by a sailing vessel that makes can be done without sacrifleing truth to charity, to the character of the German traders, Mr. generous indulgence which is so sure yet to They are as a rule men of loose morals addicted speak of Lord Connemara as they have found losses by their reckless discipation. Mr. Taguto his constituents at home, to be a friend of the lany business with the natives. As the result of systematically endeavoured to fulfil it. The Japanese would open commercial communicacomments of the native papers of the Madras | tion with these islands, they would without much Presidency, made at a time when native journal- difficulty be able to wrest the principal share ists have mentered the art of saying without of the trade from the hands of the Germans. He fear or favour what they think about English further observes that there are two reasons why stateamen, show that Lord Connemars has in a the South Sea trade should be more profitably very remarkable way bridged the gulf-between | conducted by Japanese than by German traders. the highest and the lowest, between the ruler and In the first place, most of the goods needed in the ruled. We are told that his actions from these islands can better be shipped from Japan, first to last have been "permeated by kindliness | because of the latter's propinquity, and also beof disposition, and a desire to be of public service; cause many of the required articles are very that he has drawn no severely rigid distinctions cheaply produced in this country. The prinhas been all things to all men, and as the It is a vital question for Japan, says Mr. Taguchi. Empresa's representative he has made friends of to inquire where it is most profitable to purchase these articles, in Tokyo, in Hongkong, or in This is, from one point of view, the highest Germany? As to rice, umbrellas and quemori, compliment that could be paid to an Indian there is no question that Tokyo is the best place. Governor, for it means that the statesman of As to kerosene and cotton goods, Mr. Tagachi whom it is observed has solved the problem of thinks it will be more profitable to purchase in gaining the affection and confidence of one Tokyo than in either Hongkong or Germany, race without thereby incurring the distruct of for Tokyo, being principally a retail market, another. It means that Lord Connemars is the cheap articles may be conveniently collected first Indian Governor who has been liberal in his there. However, Mr. Tagnehi fears that, as Government without having to pay the penalty protectionists are now increasing in influence in Sovernment Sovernment without having to pay the penalty protectionists are now increasing in influence in Sovernment. of his liberality. Thus regarded his administra- Japan, the basis of these calculations may one tion has been undoubedly, a remarkable one. Bo day be disturbed. The second reason why for his success was the product of temperament, Japanese stand in an advantageous position is

other side in polities spoke very highly of his compete with Hongkong. But tortoise shell is work there. But tel brille au second rang qui particularly well adapted for importation into

A JAPANESE CONFESSION OF

The Sixth Synod of the Itchi Kyoksi which

met in the Sukiya-bashi Church, Tokyo, in the early part of last month, was rendered signally memorable by the debate upon the creed of the Church. Deep interest attached to the Synod owing to the fact that upon it devolved the delieste and difficult task of receiving or rejecting the report of the joint Committee appointed some time ago to agree upon a new Confession. This Committee consisted of three foreign Missionaries and four prominent Japanese of the Presbyterian Church, and it was hoped that the result of their patient and prolonged investigation would receive the approval of the Synod The expectation, however, proved ill-founded, Not only was the Confession recommended by the Special Committee stoutly rejected, but an alternative proposition, to the effect that the Church should accept the Apostles Creed alone as its Confession of Faith, met with a similar fate. The whole weight and tendency of the meeting seemed to be decidedly averse _actually hostile to any draft savouring in any degree of foreign inspiration, Such at least was the impression gathered by more than one present on the occasion. It has long been recognised by the older missionaries that the spirit which in the political world continued need of foreign aid and foreign counsel is undoubtedly admitted, but equally certain, we take it, is the fat that there exists in the this, conscious too of the alleged tendency of some members to assume towards the Scriptures an attitude tantamount to implied denial of their inspiration, little wonder that grave anxiety was awakened by the evident lack of unanimity. So pronounced were some of the speakers upon certain points that, for a time, according to Japanese published secounts, actual danger existed of separation resulting. Professor Ishimoto, a graduate of the Meiji Gaku-in, appears to have been one of those who most keenly realized the dangerous pass affairs had reached, for he with one or two associates, upon leaving the Church after a fresh failure to arrive at a mutuallyacceptable basis, retired to his quarters and reverently set himself to the task of drawing up a seems to admit that Lord Connemars was creed. It proved an all-night work. When singularly fortunate in his Councillors. First, the Synod re-assembled the draft was submitted, in Mr. Hutchins, who is now on the Viceroy's only to be almost immediately challenged on the ground of its evident foreign authorship. Mr. Ishimoto assured his numerous questioners that not until half an hour before the meeting, when he had shown it to Dr. Imbrie, had any foreigner suspected its existence. O position to it vanished, and within a very short time the Confession of Faith drawn up by the Professor and his co-workers was unanimously and enthusiastically adopted. The Cr ed, a translation of which we reproduce at length, is essentially evangelical, and though it consists in the main of the well-known Apostles' Creed, the Confession as a whole must be pronounced to be one of the most important, and from a Christian standpoint, one of the most gratifying of this or any other time. Specially reassuring must it be to those who have laboured for the firm lodgment of orthodox Christianity in Japan. It certainly sets at rest the question of the form of Christianity which one of the strongest of the Japanese Churches will ultimately adopt, and we shall be surprised if the clearness and scope of this, the first Creed formulated by Japanese Christians, does not ere long receive andorsement from believers of other deno minations. THE CONFESSION OF FAITH.

"The Lord Jesus Christ, whom we worship as God, the only begotten son of God, for us men and for our salvation was made man and suffered. He offered up a perfect sacrifice for sin. and all who are one with Him by faith are pardoned and accounted righteous; and faith in Him working by love purifies the beart. The Holy Spirit, who with the Father and Son is worsh pped and glorified, reveals Jesus Christ to the soul, and without His grace man being dead in sins canthe opportunity of his administration. But it not enter the Kingdom of Ged. By Him the is better that those who have watched his prophets and apostles and boly men of old were work should pronounc final judgment upon it, and the old and new testaments is he supreme and infallible judge in all things pertaining to faith and living. From these Hely Scriptures the ancient Church of Christ drew its Confession ; and we holding the faith once delivered to the saints, join in that Confession with praise and

"I believe in God the Father Almighty maker of Heaven and Earth: "And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord : who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He desconded into Hades; the third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into beaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and

"I believe -in the Holy Ghost; the Holy

An amusing incident occurred recently at Essegg, in Austria. In a certain play the heroine has to die, her death being brought about by a villain who shoots her with a pistol. At the oritical moment the weapon missed fire; but the actor was equal to the emergency and declaimed at once, " Die, then, the first victim of smokeless

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JOINT STOCK SHARES. WEEKLY SHARE REPORT .-- Owing to China

Shipping .- There are sellers of H. C. & M. Steamboats @ \$361 cash (ex div.), but we hear of no business. Docks have changed hands @ l per cent. March, and more could be placed at

Refineries .- A small demand sat in for China Sugars on time, buyers paying \$176 March, and \$178 April. They are now asked for @ \$180 cash, and \$183 March after sales at a point higher. Luxons are totally neglected at the

Lands.-Nothing doing. Hongkongs are obtainable @ \$86. Mining .- A small lot of Imuris have been laced to Shanghai @14 cash, but the market for all stocks under this heading is completely

Planting.—China Berneon have been the only lightning; c. overcost; p. passing showers; q. squally took enquired for; about 200 shares having rain; s. snow; t. thunder; v. visibility w. daw (wet). stock enquired for : about 200 shares having changed hands @ \$17 oash.

Miscellaneous .- The chief feature of a dul week has been a further demand for Trust and Leans, a good number having gone to Shanghai for all months up to June. We have to-day sold 300 shares to that port @ \$214 April, but locally there are buyers @ \$21 for the settlement Founders are also wanted; a sale taking place yesterday @ \$195 for June, and further shares are wanted at about this price.

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Cruickshank & Co	\$50	\$45, nom.
Dairy Farm Co	. \$10	\$12, nom.
Fenwick & Co., Geo	\$25	\$28
Gordon & Co., A. G	\$25	\$10, nom.
Green Island Cement	\$60	\$19
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H. & C. Bakery	\$50	\$75, nom.
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H. & K. Wharf & G.	\$60	\$77, sellers
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Per British Bark Velocity, sailed on the 28th January:—bound hence to Honolulu—67 coils a somewhat large scale took place at Kowleon rope, 387 rolls matting, 32 packages straw bags, City. Six men, convicted of robbery, were be.

20 packages medicines, 18 packages iossesticks, handed on the heach there. Several Enversages. Nicholson, Second Lieut. J. Quain, of the Royal 20 packages medicines, 18 packages joss-sticks, headed on the beach there. Several Europeans, 150 cases root flour, 1,604 packages samshoo, 43 who happened to be in the vicinity at the time, cases tobacco, 370 cases oil, 80 bags beans, 286 witnessed the execution. cases soy, 80 bags rice, 390 bags manure, 60 It is notified in the Gazette that His packages ratten shavings, 293 packages tea. Excellency the Governor has, under instructions 344 packages bamboo ware, 300 packages China from the Secretary of State, made the following ware, 30 bags augar, and 2,425 packages mer- appointments:--Mr. F. H. May to be Assistant

4th February: From Hongkong for Havre 145 packages canes, 60 cases bristles, 50 cases starmissed, 45 cases chinaware, 25 cases essen. Tonkin, brought among her passengers M. tial oils, 25 cases paper, 19 cases human hair, 15 | Bonnal, Acting Resident Superieure, and M. cases blackwoodware, 2 cases silks, and 1 case | Chevassiaur, Resident at Haiphong. Both china ink. For Havre option Hamburg-250 officials are on their way home to France on cases palmiral fans, 136 packages canes, 70 cases | leave. chinaware, 16 cases blackwoodware, 10 cases paper, 7. 6.800 earthenware, and 3 cases silk: For Havre option Hamburg option London anthorities in Canton. In this instance parti-647 cases campber. For Havre option London cularly summary justice was dealt out to the 80 cases bristles, and 20 cases essential oils, accused, even according to Chinese views, as we For Hamburg-400 cases cassia bude, 222 packages caues, 702 bales feathers, 150 cases bristles, 100 packages rattans, 75 cases essential oils, 71 packages sundries, 25 casks ginger, 25 packages rattan shavings, 20 cases fans, 13 cases | ber of the Corps who has served Her Majesty in teasticks. 5 cases paper, 4 cases siiks, and 4 rolls any branch of the regular or auxiliary forces, at matting. For Hamburg option Botterdam-10 home or abroad for a period of five years or cases bristles. For Hamburg option London more is qualified for the long service badge. 473 packages cames, and 41 cases bristles. For notice i sued on the 5th inst. also sets out the Lisbon-5 packages sandries. For Porto-1 qualifications requisite for the efficient's badge.

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W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, February 11th, 1891.

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NEWS FOR THE FRENCH MAIL.

kong and Whampoa Dock Company, has been Inspector Swanston belonged. under Rugby rules, the Club winning by three be willingly defrayed by the residents there if tries to nil; on the 9th February they played an necessary.

and trap in Bowrington creek. Mrs. Kennedy and of course the shock upset her generally. was fortunately rescued by two gautlemen, having | We are pleased to know she is recovering. of their performance of "The Gondoliers" at information in Saturday's Gazette:the Theatre Royal : on each occasion there was a very large attendance. Meetings of the shareholders of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., and of A. G. Gordon and Company, Ld., were held on the 7th February. A fire occurred at No. 353, Queen's Road West on the 8th inst; the premises were completely destroyed. The 9th February being Chinese New Year's day was observed as a general holiday both by the native and foreign community. Kowloon City has had a somewhat exciting New Year's season; on the 7th February six robbors were beheaded on the beach there; and on the 9th February a destructive fire occurred. in which from sixty to seventy buildings in the central part of the city, including the Customs offices and the principal gambling houses, were burnt down. A meeting of the Hongkong

Jockey Club was held on the 10th February when the special resolution passed at the meeting of the 27th January was confirmed. On the loth February there was a Fancy Dress Ball at Lord Connemara visited Victoria Gaol on the

According to the meteorological observations taken at the Kowloon Observatory and published in the Gazette, 0.04 inch of rain fell durthe month of January, as compared with 1.79 inch in the corresponding month of last year. On the morning on the 8th inst. a fire broke out in No. 353, Queen's Road West. The fire was extinguished by a small manual engine from the Sam Hing shop, but the flames were not got under till the house, a two-storeyed one, was completely destroyed.

On Saturday the 7th inst. an execution on

Colonial Secretary, and Mr. T. Sercombe Smith Per German steamer K. iemhild, sailed on the to be Assistant Registrar-General. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Haiphong

which arrived here on the 10th inst from

On the 7th inst seven more men connected with the Namoa piracy were captured by the Chinese understand the men were beheaded during the next twelve hours. Long service and efficient badges are to be issued to the Hongkong Volunteers. Any mem-

The Registrar-General's return of births and deaths in the Colony during the fourth quarter of the year 1890 is published in the Gazette. There were 487 births and 1,196 deaths. Of the latter 47 occurred among the British and Foreign community. The annual death rate per 1,000 was for the British and Foreign community, 17.13; for the Chinese, 24.88; for the whole population, 24.57.

Mr. Kennedy's line of omnibuses started running on the 5th inst, the first one leaving the Clock Tower for Happy Valley at 5.45 a.m. with a full freight of sporting men on board. At present there are only three 'buses, but the number is to be increased to ten, when a rapular service between East and West Points and Quarry Bay will be established. The new vehicles have to face strong competition in the jinrickshas, but the enterprise deserves success, and we think will

of houses, causing loss of life and property. day, and a good many picnic parties went out.

The Police got a false alarm on the 5th mandarins. inst. For some weeks past there has been a rumour that a big clan fight might take place at any moment in the western district, and when a lukoog brought the news that one was about to commence in Jervois Street it was naturally expected that the moment had arrived. Chief Inspector (radock, Inspector Hennessy, and a

and the result was as follows:---Jackson (I second) 2 Cample (2 seconds)

crowding of the thinese-owned passenger of a travelling circus if he could be tion left Soochow as usual at 2 p.m. on Tuesday

Bank, left here on the 5th February by the P. should be taken by the Government for lighting of Wallenstein. Nor should a magnum of red then has been checkered. She went aground to & O. steamer Ganges, for England; previous to the roads there after dark. Of an evening re- seal and an alligator and a charming beetle be the west of the mouth of the Newchwang River, his departure a large number of friends met sidents who know the locality have the greatest forgotten. After supper, served in the pleasand the chamber of Commerce difficulty in finding their way about, while for santest fashion, a cotilion was kept up with great in the bean-cake port, reported her lost. But Room, City Hall. The Sanitary Board held strangers visiting that part of the colony it is spirit, and it was 3 a.m. before the ladies left the very next day the Charley was brought up their fortnightly meeting on the 5th February. positively dangerous. For the present a few oil after the final Sir Roger de Coverley. by a Newchwang pilot, Mr. Sinclair, it we are The Hongkong Football Club have played two lamps would be sufficient to meet all requirefootball matches during the week; on the 5th ments; the area to be lighted is very small, and unfortunately followed by the clanging of the sale and transferred to the British flag, under Fabruary they played a team from the Navy any slight expense entailed would, we feel sure, fire gongs in the early morning and a serious which she has sailed successfully ever since for

Association match against the United Services. On the 2nd inst. Mrs. Kennedy went for a being burnt and utterly gutted, very little pro- at some ten or twelve thousand taels.—Mercury. which resulted in a draw, each side securing two drive (the Mafoo driving) and passed along the perty being saved from either. There was great On the morning of the 1st inst., soon after 9 goals; on the 10th February the Hongkong Prays to Bowrington Creek, when turning the difficulty in getting water and getting the o'clock, the house No. 40, Broadway, Shanghai, Bank met a team from H.M.S. Impérieuse, which corner, she found the road all strewn with empty municipal engine to work effectively, but in the occupation of Mr. R. A. J. Anderson, was resulted in a win for the naval team by one goal sugar baskets from a neighbouring godown. the native brigade promptly came to the found to be on fire. This building, which is a to nothing. The first ties of the Lawn Tennis When the pony saw the baskets he shied, and rescue, and by their exertions and those of detached house, is built entirely of wood, and the Handicap have been played off during the week. ran with the trap-and Mrs. Kennedy into the the Shameen Fire Brigade the fire was pre- fire is said to have been caused by a de-An extraordinary meeting of the Hongkong creek. Mrs. Kennedy had the presence of mind, yented spreading to the adjacent premises, fective flue, the sides of which had only a Hotel Company, Limited, was held on the 5th when she saw the danger of being kicked by the although at one time it seemed doubtful if it thickness of one brick. Before the alarm February for the purpose of passing special pony, to jump out of the trap into deep water. resolutions for the subdivision of the shares Fortunately two gentlemen from Gordon & Co.'s long catching. As Mr. and Vrs. Bridie to the Associated and C.M.S.N. Co.'s lower and the increasing of the capital. On the 2nd engineering works saw Mrs. Kennedy and suc-February Mrs. Kennedy while out driving ceeded in resoning her from drowning. She was run away with and was landed with pony sprained herankle, received several other bruises,

suffered nothing more serious than a sprained The following returns of the average amount ankle and several bruises. The troopship of Bank notes in circulation and of specie in re-Himalaya, with reliefs and reinforcements for serve in Hongkong, during the month ended.31st the Garrison here; arrived on the 8th February. January, 1891, as certified by the managers, of The Choral Society have given two repetitions | the respective banks, are published for general

> AMOUNT. RESERVE. Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China. |1,149,836 500,000 Chartered Bank of India. Australia and China Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 3,503,946 The first ties of the Cricket Club's lawn

> tennis handicap have now been played off with the following results:— E. W. Maitland, owes 2 quarters of 15, beat C. A. Tomes, scratch.

H. W. Slade, receives 15.2, beat J. M. E. Machado, receives 15.3. 6-3, 2-6, 6-3. E. S. Ezekiel, receives 15, best W. V. Anderson, receives 15.

L. C. Barff, receives 15, beat R. Markwick, jr., receives 15.2. 7-5. 7-5. C. F. Harton, receives 15.3, best J. Hastings, receives 15.

6-0, 9-7.

C. Thorne, receives 15.2, heat J. M. Dow, receives 15.2.

The troopship Himalaya, Captain Hammick, arrived on the 8th instant, bringing reliefs and reinforcements for the Garri son. There are 209 men for the A. & S. Highlanders, 152 of the Royal Artillery 97 of the Royal Engineers, 6 of the Medical Staff, 2 armourers, and 1 member of the Ordnance Corps. The following are the officers :-Artillery; Capt. and Quartermaster J. Hunt, Medical Staff Corps; Capt. H. N. Dumbleton, Lieut. E. M. Lornig, Lieut. and Quartermaster A. S. Lewis, Royal Engineers; Surgeon J. Rhodes, Surgeon H. P. Birch Lieut. H. L. Henderson, A. & S. Highlanders; Artillery : Lieut. T. L. Lloyd, Supt. Clerk: D. A. Harris, Liout. H. P. Robinson, Royal Engineers; Staff Surgeon Jno. Dudley, M.B., R.N., for the Yokohama Ho pital; and Lieut. Laird,

R.N., appointed to the Swift. A rather remarkable kidnapping case came on for hearing before Mr. Wodehouse at the Police Court on the 7th inst. Two Uniness women are charged with kidnapping a girl, aged fourteen, and with stealing from her some jewellery and a deposit note of the value of \$270. On the 1instant the second prisoner's daughter went to the house where the girl lives, and induced her to go out with her, telling her that the second prisoner wanted to see her. The girl was taken to the second prisoner's house, and from there to the house of Mr. Legge, where she was hidden away in the servants' quarters, with the assistance and countyance of some of the servants. The girl was kept here closely watched to prevent her escape for three days, during which time some jewellery which she was wearing and a deposit note for \$270 were taken from her. The whereabouts of the girl were discovered by the Police through the wife of one of the servants trying to cash the note at the Bank. The woman was taken into custody by the Police, and she then conducted them to the house where the girl was. The girl was immediately released and the two prisoners were arrected later the same day. The further hearing of the case was adjourned till Wednesday.

MACAO.

capture of two junks at Macao supposed to have A fatal collision, resulting in the loss of three speedy recovery, a good time at home, and quick been-counseted with the Namoa-piracy, says lives occurred on the Slat alt at about 7 p.m., promotion. that on being taken to the Harbour Master's some two miles above Minghong, between a Chioffice one of the men confessed that the murderer ness steam-launch on its way up the river to On the 28th January another extensive fire HE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing beof Captain Pocock was a brother of his and was Soochow and a sailing junk coming down. It occurred at Hanoi, in which some three hundred A man named Choi Yat, who is wanted by the in a junk which the other prisoners promised to was very dark at the time and bitterly cold, the mat-shed houses in the native town were de- nection with the FURNITURE DEALER'S Chineseauthorities for incendiarism, was arrested point out. In consequence of this the he d of latter fact probably keeping the Chinese under stroyed. the water police, Sr. Bellino Rodrigues, accom- shelter, and preventing them from having a pro- A band of pirates in Tonkin set fire to the by Inspector Stanton and Sergeant McIver. It panied by ten armed men, left in the steam per lookont. The junkeank immediately after the parsonage at Buch-loc on the 21st Jan., and at this date. is alleged that Choi Yat is the head of a gang launch Taips in search of the other pirates, who wist different villages on the mainland taking in tow one of the junks which had been to the junks whi levying contributions on the villagers, and that seized in order that the crew might give the morning. The steam-launch was promptly beach. venge themselves on the Annamite priest, who all Liabilities of the Firm in a recent instance at a village in Shun Tuk necessary directions, but as the place indicated ed at the nearest point, where she still remains had induced one of the chiefs to send in his subdistrict, on being refused a sum of money which proved to be at a great distance the pursuit had with a hole in her side and half-full of water, mission. was demanded, the band set fire to a number to be abandoned. In connection with this seizure The two occupants of the junk were drowned to. From the evidence taken at the inquest on ar extraordinary occurrence took place such as gether with the lowdah of the launch, who ap. Mr. and Mrs. Keeble, who were murdered in The advent of the Chinese New Year was has never been known before at Macao. The pears to have promptly boarded the junk in order Tonkin, it appears that they were travelling in celebrated with the customary firing of crackers Chinese authorities, when they heard that some to put forward a claim for damages, but she sank jinrickehas and were shot from behind a hedge. and a salute in the early morning by the Chinesa of the Namon pirates had been captured at before he was able to make his escape. men-of-war lying over at Kowloon. The latter Macao, requested the loan of the prisoners in The long expected has happened, and the old immediately ran away, leaving Mrs. Keeble with as well as the vessels of the China Merchants S. N. order that by their means the chief of the gang rookery which hitherto did duty as a Custom the body of her husband. She seems to have Company were dressed with flags. On the Sthinst might be captured. The Portuguese authorities House, and which for so many years has dis- been shot while bending over it. the usual New Year's Eve fair was held in Ben- accoded to the request, and the prisoners were graced our Bund by its dilapidated condition. Tonkin papers received on the 10th inst. bring ham Strand, and was visited in the afternoon lent to the Chinese authorities on Tuesday morn- has partially collapsed and is now a serious news of a serious piratical attack on the village of by His Excellency the Governor and Lady Des ing, the 3rd inst., and were returned the same monage to the safety of passers by. The Cho-ho, where there is a French station. On 1891 Vonz. The 9th was observed as a general holi- evening; the arrest of the chief having been verendah of the north wing of the building, the alarm the Resident, M. Rougery, rushed

CHINA

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CANTON.

which was deserted, contrary to ordinary China, bodily into the readway, as now seems imminent. custom, the guests finding so much to please and Some Foreigners returning from up-country interest them in the spacious ball room and on the evening of the 4th inst, with a steam-Time 40 2.5ths sees. The next race will be on withdrawing room opening out of it. The danc- launch and house-boat were hailed at the upper Saturday, 14th inst, when the mile handicap will ing was varied by the performance of end of the Seven-mile Reach by one of the new a highly trained elephant under direction of man-power paddle-boats that run between here Frequent complaints reach us as to the over- a clown, who would make the fortune and Socohow. It appears that the boat in ques-

\$30,000. The origin of the outbreak has not Pierrots; but some of the costumes were par weather prevailing at the time. HONGKONG.

We fear that the chances of the British barque Charley ever turning up again are pleased the so remote that we may now almost give hor up as lost. She left Nagasaki on the Inspector Swanston, who was a native of Caith peasant and a lovely p

FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.

ings broke his wrist.

7th February. destructive. The two houses on the missionaryproperty were completely destroyed. Shortly Brigade had got its bose to bear upon the flames, Hukuang, was reported on 12th January and on Shareholders or not. of the next house were able to escape safely and Vicercy has still a long career before him. only as late as last week.....

over from the city and rendered most valuable than usual in the middle of January. known on the Fareign Settlement.

has been entirely demolished and reconstructed vince. It is comparatively common to hear of a in obedience to the decision of a neoromanoer child being carried off by one; and even men are who was called in to pronounce on the feng-shui. frequently attacked by them One meets a good A great dose of sickness had been experienced many persons who have escaped from their jaws; in the row and the necromancer decided that but generally one sight of such a person is enough. nothing less than an entire change of front

would put things right. We (Foochow Echo) regret to hear from Fuhning that the Rev. H. M. Eyton Jones, of the C.M.S., at the above station has met with a somewhat serious acoldent while out riding, having been thrown from his horse and broken his arm The accident having occurred close to the C.M.S. Hospital at Fuhning the rev. gentleman was taken there and his injuries immediatepatient was doing well when the last news left.

SHANG HAL

in the Yangtsze till the 10th of next month. The Pootung Wharf and Godown Company a caterer. 3 per cent, per annum on the ordinary shares. set E. Mr. Myles Corv (2nd prize).

the neighbourhood were very much terrified, and the highest posts in the service.

effected. This man is now in the hands of the which was shored up with piles nearly a year out crying "to arms" and was immediately shot ago, collapsed in front this morning, apparently dead with three bullets in his breast. The from the weight of roof, or sheer inability to pirates then pillaged the village and set fire to exist any longer. Though it did not absolutely it. M. Rougery's head was afterwards found. 10 cents on Paper. Cash only. come down, it looked so threatening that the severed from the body and lying among the Commissioner had to beat a retreat over to the ashes. There were eight other Europeans in premises which the Castoms have rented on the station, seven of whom were able to save DRINTING OF ALL KINDS at the most the other side of Hankow Road, next themselves by flight or concealment. The Last night Dr. Schrameier, the popular Ger- to Mesers. Meitland & Co.'s hong. The en- eighth, a garde principal named Ziegler, in body of police at once hastened to the spot man Consul, gave a most successful Fancy Dress | tire Customs staff will, we hear, be transfer | missing and is believed to have been murdered. therefore, to find nothing more serious than a Ball at the German Consulate, which varied the red to the new temporary offices during the The pirates were about 500 strong. They left quarrel between two hawkers as to the right to monotony of Shameen in a very pleasant man. China New Year holidays. It is about time, for in the morning, and on the next day the Mesner...-Every-one was there (with three or we cannot but regard the collapse of the old sageries Fluviales steamer Lackay arrived, and

The Victoria Cycling Club ran off the first | four exceptions, who were prevented by the shanty with satisfaction, as it will hasten the news of the event was then conveyed to the next of a series of road handicaps on the Shankiwan prevalent influence from being present; and erection of a building more worthy of the prestige station. The native soldiers are believed to Road on the 7th inst, when the flying quarter enjoyed themselves thoroughly. The only and position of the Service. But in the mean- have been in collusion with the pirates. The mile was contested. There were eightstarters, part of the entertainment which seemed to while we hope that steps will be taken to pre- local papers represent the state of affairs in the be neglected was the card and smoking room, vent the tettering wing from tumbling out country as most alarming. For other mail news see Sumlement.

launches plying in the Harbour, and unless some persuaded to give up silk and take to sawdust; with about 50 passengers on board. Before more strict supervision than at present is exer- und two comic interludes, one between a vener- reaching the Whangpoo the machinery broke cised in respect to them a serious accident is able friar and a too levely nun, and the other down and the boat travelled as far as the top prepared to GRANT INSURANCES to the certain to occur scoper or later. A gentleman sustained solely by the host in the disguise of a of the Seven-mile Reach under sail. Here it extent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at our who had occasion to go over to Kowloon Dock a stage German Jew bagman. In the first was stopped by an alverse wind; and the rent rates. the other day, informs us that feeling certain Jumbo stood on chairs, played the flute, drank passengers had every prospect of spending one the launch was overcrowded he counted the champague, and denced with elephantine grace. It ght at least in the exposed position in which number of passengers on board and found that accompanied by melodious growls suggesting a they found themselves, -quite unprepared for there were 219. The launch was licensed to fogborn in his interior, the while wagging his such an unpleasant delay. The Foreigners carry 115. At an early hour on Monday morning, 9th inst. before. In the second the frier and num both towed them to Shanghai, which was reached fire broke out in a drug shop in the central part looked their parts to perfection, and convulsed seon after dark. It is to be regretted that no of Kowloon City. Fire extinguishing appliances the room by acting as it is to be hoped hely friars supervision is exercised over such boats sailing being as usual absent, the fire spread rapidly and and lovely nums never do in ordinary life. In from this port, as the machinery of the vessel in quickly accomplished the destruction of a large the third every man of business immediately question was evidently of the flimsiest descripnumber of houses, including the tustoms office ordered the performer out of his office. Ition; and the incident, but for the fortunate renand the principal gambling houses. The num. The dresses were good throughout, a contrate which we have referred, might have ber of buildings destroyed is variously estimated trifle too many gentlemen, perhaps, in had serious results for the passengers, some of at from twenty to one hundred, and the value of uniform, military, naval, Consular, Windsor, whom, being women and children were ill-prethe property destroyed between \$20,000 and or fire brigade, and perhaps a few too many pared for prolonged exposure in the state of the

degrees. A new venture has been started here was a most zeslous officer, and his place will not little fisher maiden, a stalwart Pru sian Gre- Weser, in Germany, in 1864, was originally callduring the past week, Mr. Kennedy of the be easily filled. He leaves a widow and several madier of the Guards who would have been ed the Siam, and sailed at first under the Horse Repository having commenced running a children. The funeral took place on the 6th promptly ordered back to Germany if Frederick Hansestie flag of Bremen. She was built of line of omnibuses from the Clock Tower to just, and was attended not only by members William the First had been still alive, a charm. the strongest materials and was considered a Quarry Bay. The new Government Epidemic of the Police but by members of the United ing Kate Greenway, a courtier and a specially capital sailer. Some years ago it was thought Hospital ship, the Hagein, built by the Hong-Service and St. John's Lodges, to both of which well got up page; a capital cook and a lifelike that she was lost in a typhoon outside Shang Sitting Bull, a fortune-teller and pretty hai, but she was afterwards picked up and The Undersigned are now prepared to launched from the Kowloon Pock the vessel was considering that Kowloon is rapidly become maid fresh from school, and the host brought into port by a local pilot. She was GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against bristened by Lady des Venz Mr. Thomas ing a thickly populated suburb of Hongkong. himself, perfect in his several contumes of then sold and put under the American flag and FIRE at Current-Rates. Jackson, of the Hongkong and Shanghai the time has surely arrived when some steps Jumbo's forelegs a friar, a bagman, and finally her name changed to Charley. Her career since

> But a very pleasant evening and night was not mistaken, and she was afterwards put up for fire on Shameen, the houses occupied by the the Shanghei Shipping Company. Last spring Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bridia and by Mrs. Glover she was docked and overhauled, and was valued would be possible to prevent Messrs. Mitchell and | could be given by the bells, the hose belonging were away and the fire originated upstairs in whorves was brought into play, but although good their house, it is supposed to hav been the work service was done the fire obtained too great a hold either of intentional incondimism or the careless on the building for the efforts of the hose men ness of some thief who had got into the ampty to be of much avail. The various engine comhouse for the purpose of plunder. Great panies quickly appeared on the scene after sympathy is felt for the loses of the occu- the general alarm had been given, and they Rates. pants, lesses not replaceable by the amount of had eight streams at work. The roof, however, insurance, and the community has also to fell in and was entirely consumed, but the firemen deplore a serious acciden which hap- remained on the scene till mid-day. The buildpened to an active member of the Fire ing and furniture were insured, the former in the Brigade, Mr. Watts, of Messrs Jardine, Mathe- Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. and the latter in son & Co., who in jumping from some outbuild- the Singapore Insurance Co The greater portion

of the property destroyed belonged to Mrs. and Miss Knott: who occupied part of the premises. The fact that the contents of the upper floor and the whole of the lower portion of a wooden As the sounds of mirth and revelry were building of the kind were saved is says the lying away early this morning and the gay and Daily News, one which speaks volumes for the Ban Hup, Esq. Yow Chong Pang, Esq. festive guests were returning from a fancy dress smart way in which the brigade worked. We Chan Li Choy Esq | Q. Hor Chung, Esq. ball on Shameen, the unwelcome sound of the understand that the house had caught fire on fire bell approunded a fire which proved very three previous occasions without serious result. before 6 a.m. the fire was discovered in | Says the Chinese Times :- The death of His the eastern house, and before the local Volunteer Excellency, Chang Chih-tung. Viceroy of the Contributors of Business, whether they are

they had spread to the next house. The the 15th, but we are glad to say, erroneously. occupants of the house in which the fire The death of the Treasurer of Hupeh perhaps originated were from home. The occupants gave rise to the report. We hope the energetic also to remove some of the more valuable pro- The Chinese Times of the 17th utt. says that perty. Both houses were insured, one of them influenza is abating among the Foreign residents at Tientsin, but during the past week the weather The Volunteer Fire Brigade were hardly so had been cold, the thermometer on the 15th. ready for their duties as might be the case at January recording 22 degrees of frost, the another time, and the chief honours of the occa- lowest point registered this winter, which, howsion fell to the Chinese, who promptly came ever, is at least ten degrees higher temperature assistance. This is, we believe the second fire It is remarkable (says a writer in the Chinese Times) that the Chinese make no effort to exterminate, wolves. It is even said that they have a BONUSES PAID cuperstition which keeps them from doing so. It is At Foochow a row of houses near the Dairy cartain that wolves are quite numerous in this pro-

TONKIN.

FROM A COREESPONDENT. HAIPHONG, 1st February, 1891. A most successful banquet was given last night by the members of the Cercle du Commerce to Monsieur Chevassieux, the Resident Colonel G. B. Macdonell, Capt. N. W. H. du Bou- man was taken there and his injuries immediate. Maire of Haiphong, the occasion being his ap-lay. Second Lieut. E. L. E. Whitehead, Royal ly attended to by Dr. Taylor. Full particulars Maire of Haiphong, the occasion being his apare it yet to hand, but we understand that the proaching departure for Europe. Monsieur Chevassieux having gained the affections of everybody he has come in contact with, it was not at all surprising to see the large number of H.M.S. Linnet, Commander Tisdall, R.N., members who sat down to table. The banquet arrived at Shanghai from Hongkong on the 2nd | was laid with great taste, and the character of the various wines and visads more than came up The U.S.S. Monocacy was to leave Shanghai | to what was expected from the high sounding for Chinkiang on the 3rd inst. and will remain names on the menu; in fact, M. Gandaubert did full justice to his established reputation as

HAIPHONG.

have declared dividends for 1890 at the rate of 7 Good humous and kindliness of feeling perper cent. per annum on the preference shares, and | vaded everything, and when Monsieur d'Abbadie rose to propose the health of the honoured guest, pared to accept Risks against Fire at current having in their possession Property belonging The plans of the new Central Police Station | which he did in a most elequent manner, the rates. at Shanghai have been on view in the Municipal toast was received with the utmost enthusiasm. Conneil Board Room. They are five in num- Monsiour Chevassieux returned thanks in his ber, namely; set A. by Messrs Danby, Leigh, & most happy manner, and other speeches followed. Orange, Hongkong (3rd prize); set B. Messrs. showing how much our genial resident is Kingsmill and Atkinson (1st prize); set C. Mr. esteemed. The company had a very pleasant H. A. Collins; set D. Mr. Gilbert W. Davies; evening and did not break up till the small hours of the morning.

On the 3rd just at about 7 o'clock p.m. the The reason for M. Chevassieur's departure Yuen Cheong Match Factory, situated near the is the bad state of his health, which has for some West Gate, caught fire. The matches became time past given his friends some anxiety. ignited some way or other, and owing to the During the time of our Resident's holding his inflammable nature of the contents of the factory | present appointment he has by his ability, tact, the flames spread and destroyed four rows of and kindliness proved himself a most able small buildings before they could be subdued. administrator, and it is to be hoped that in the If was fortunate all the buildings inside the walls interests of Indo-China, where he has passed of the factory are built separately, well apart many of the best years of his life and to which from one another, as the fire otherwise would he is greatly attached, he may in the near future have been much more extensive. The Chinese in return to reap the fruit of his labours in holding many families had brought their farniture and We understand that M. Chevassieux goes published at the "Hougkong Daily Press" the 16th January, 1891, is hereby required to property out into the street before it became home per the next mail via Hongkong, and we Office). The Macao Liberdade, in its report of the apparent that the progress of the Grewssstopped. wish him from our heart a pleasant passage,

Mr. Keeble was the first to fall, and the coolies or two Young Children during Veyage.

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THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUR ANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. I'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are

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Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. () HENIX FIRE OFFICE

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NOTICE.

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ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Hongkong, 9th February, 1891.

NUTICES OF FIRMS

BURCHARD

WILHELM IVI. WOLFF has this day been authorized to Sign our Firm by procuration. F. NAUDIN & Co. Hongkong, 1st February, 1891. NOTICE.

TAROM this date Mr. CHEU YU-TSUN Hongkong, 9th February, 1891.

I tween HO NANG and CUM TIM in con-SHOP known, as WENG-LEE, situated at DEACON are the Solicitors in the Bankruptcy.

NOTICE.

CUM TIM. Hongkong, 9th February, 1891. A N ENGLISH NURSE Returning Home

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THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. steamer Abyssinia left Vancouver n the 27th Japaary.

MERCHANT STEAMERS. The steamer Japan from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 5th and is due on the 12th just. The P. & O. steamer Conton left Singapore at 6 a.m. on the 6th and is due on the 12th insti-The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Patroclus left Singapore on the afternoon of the 8th and is due on The steamer Strathleven left Singapore on

the afternoon of the 8th and is due on the 15th. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Pandora left Singap re on the afternoon of the 8th and is due on the 15th inst. The P. & O. steamer Rosetta, with the Fnglish mail, left Singapore at Ham, on the 10th and is due on the 16th inst. The P. & O. steamer Nizum left Bombay at 9 p.m. on the 4th inst.

POST-OFFICE-NOTICES.

The Postal Guide for 1890, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory p. 760. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised L st of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

For Shanghai .- Per Lycomoon, to-day, th 12th inst., at 3.30 r.m. For Amoy and Manila .- Per Don Juan, today, the 12th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow. Amoy, and Tamsui.-Per Hailoong, to day, the 12th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Straits and Bombay.-Per Gwalior, on Saturday, the 14th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco.-Per City of Piking, on Saturday, the 14th inst., at For Shanghai.-Per Merfuo, on Saturday,

the 14th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Lydia, on Wednesday. the 18th inst., at 3.30 P.M. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET: The French Contract Packet Saghalien will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 12th instant., with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe.

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OF-HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE is hereby given. That CHAN LONG HIN, of No. 31, ELGIN STREET, VICTORIA, in the Colony of HONGKONG, Clerk, unemployed; having been adjudicated a Bankrupt under a Petition for Adjudication filed in this Honourable Court on the 16th January, 1891, is WARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, the Official Assignee of the said Court, at the First Meeting of Creditors to be held before the said Official 188 Assignee on the 4th day of MARCH, 1 91, at 12 of the clock at Noon prec sely, at the Supreme Court-House. The said EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD is the

Official Assignee, and Messrs. Wotton and Deacon are the Solicitors in the Bankruptcy. At the First Meeting of Creditors the said Hicial Assignee will receive the Proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and those Creditors who shall have proved their Claims respectively. or the Majority of them in value, may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrunt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt or

to him are required not to pay or hand over the same to any Person or Persons other than the Official Assigned. WOTTON & DEACON.

Solicitors in Bankruptoy. Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

IN BANKRUPTCY.

HONGKONG.

TOTICE is hereby given, That CHAN KUNG NAM, of No. 17, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, VICTORIA, in the Colony of Honokong. Accountant to the KWONG LEF CHEONG FURNITURE DEALER SHOP known as ACHEE and COMPANY, baving has been appointed General Manager of the | been adjudicated Bankrupy under a Petition for Chung Ngoi San Po (Chinese Daily Newspaper | Adjudication filed in this Honourable Court on surrender himself to EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD. [383] Esquire, the Official Assignee of the said Court, at the First Meeting of Creditors to be held-before-the-said-Official Assignee on the 4th day of MARCH, 1891, at 12 of the clock at Noon precisely, at the Supreme Court-House. The said Edward James Achboxd is the Official Assignee, and Messra, WOTTON an At the First Meeting of Creditors the said Official Assignes will receive the Proofs of or the Majority of them in value, may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bank-1384 rupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt or having in their possession Property belonging A would be willing to take Charge of one to him are required not to pay or hand over the same to any Person or Persons other than the Official Assignee.

WOTTON & DEACON Solicitors in Bankruptcy. Hongkong, 11th February, 1891.

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